

## 8 WAYS TO PROTECT YOUR HOME IN WINTER



	Full Service Disaster Restoration ADK
Chimney/Fireplace	Doors and Windows
Have your chimney cleaned and checked annually by a professional.	Weatherproofing Doors & Windows - seal leaks and cracks. (25% of home heat escapes through small cracks, leaky doors and windows!)
Exterior Lighting	Protect Your Pipes
Sufficient outdoor lighting can help navigate your way along driveway/walkpaths and avoid slipping on icy patches.	A burst pipe can create a costly mess! Be sure to disconnect and drain your outside hose.
Gutters	Heating System
Clean out and repair any loose gutters. Gutters unable to drain properly can cause an ice damming and water can back up into your home.	Give your Heating System some love with an annual check up by a reputable heating company. Change your filters throughout the season for best heating efficiency.
Smoke Detectors/Carbon Monoxide	Ceiling Fans
We all know we should do this: Check Your Smoke Detectors and Carbon Monoxide Detectors - TEST Them! Change Batteries !	Flip the switch on your ceiling fan! The up draft will force the warm air down and help keep the room warmer.